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It is certified that error appears in the above-identified patent and that said Letters Patent is hereby corrected as shown below:

COVER PAGE AT ITEM (56) RC:

Foreign Patent Documents, "3051085" should read --2000-3051085--.

COLUMN 1:

Line 30, "have" should read --has--.

COLUMN 5:

Line 44, "tree" should read --free--.

COLUMN 7:

Line 30, "is" should read --is a--.

Line 42, "systems" should read --system--.

COLUMN 8:

Line 27, "mans" should read --means--.

COLUMN 10:

Line 14, "of" (second occurrence) should be deleted.

Line 35, "of" should read --of the--.

Line 41, "of" should read --of the--.

COLUMN 16:

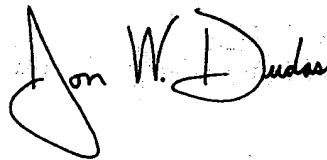
Line 46, "Alto," should read --Also,--.

COLUMN 18:

Line 59, "heating" should read --image heating--.

Signed and Sealed this

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A handwritten signature in black ink, appearing to read "Jon W. Dudas". The signature is stylized with a large, looped initial "J" and a cursive "Dudas".

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